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1. U.S. Patent 6,560,640 to Smethers;
2. U.S. Patent Application Publication 2002/0123368 to Yamadera et al.;
3. U.S. Patent 6,134,548 to Gottsman et al.;
4. U.S. Patent 6,321,257 to Kotola et al.;
5. U.S. Patent 6,542,812 to Obradovich et al.;
6. U.S. Patent 6,501,956 to Weeren et al.;
7. U.S. Patent 6,546,002 to Kim;

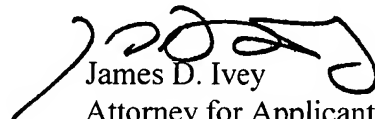
8. U.S. Patent 5,895,471 to King et al.; and
9. U.S. Patent 6,401,085 to Gershman et al.

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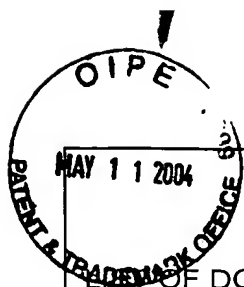
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